

425BC

Battle of SPACERIA  
Spartans were defeated.

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Battle of Messana  
besieged Messana 425 BC.

425-409BC

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Pylos  
was occupied by Athen 425-409BC

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PYLON was taken from Sparta and held by the new Athenian General Demosthenes (1<sup>st</sup> time Spartans ever surrendered)

Spartan power was declining. To gain time Sparta sent envoys to Athens. Athens held them as hostages & thus prevented further invasions into Attica.

2425BC

An invading Italic people (the Sabellians) captured Etruscan Capua, as well as Greek Cumae.

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(450-425 BC) XERXES II

A king of Persia. Son of ARTAXERXES I, and the grandson of XERXES I.

He came to the throne when his parents were murdered in 425 BC, and was himself assassinated after reigning 45 days.

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Earthquake made EUBOEA an island

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## NAVARINO

Bay of Navarino on south west coast of Greece. In 425 BC the Spartans were utterly defeated by the Athenians in a great naval battle



C 425 BC

Earliest Astronomical treatises,  
the SIDDHANTAS (C 425 BC) were  
based on Greek science  
and VARAHAMIHIRA: whose  
compendium was significantly  
entitled "Complete System  
of Natural Astrology", frankly  
acknowledged his dependence  
upon the Greeks.

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pp 922 Thucydides

Thucydides Calendar System:

We say that the Peloponnesian War began in 431 BC. An Athenian had to say that it began in the archonship of PYTHODORUS, which was meaningless to non-Athenians, and indeed to Athenians 20 or 30 yrs later.

Introducing months would not have helped. Every city had its own calendar; the names of the months were not all alike

(more than 300 month names are known today). - now was the order now time of the new year the same. Ex. The peace Treaty of 421, comes into effect from the 27th day of the month of ARTEMISIUM at Sparta, PLEISTOLAS holding the office of EPHOR; and at Athens from the 25th day of the month of ELAPNEBOLIUM, in the Archonship of ALCAEUS. Thucydides fixes the beginning of the year; dated all subsequent events from the start by counting the no. of (Sabbath) years that had elapsed.

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Siege of SPHACTERIA.

ARISTOPHANES' "ACHARNIANS."

C 490 BC 425 BC

By late 5th Cen. BC.

## HEBREW MONTHS

1. NISAN (have the Macedonian <sup>mooc. 11:30</sup> equivalent, ANTIKUS)
2. IYYAR
3. SIVAN
4. TAMMUZ
5. AB
6. ELUL
7. TISHRI
8. MARCHESHVAN
9. CHISLEV

- 10 TEBETH
- 11 SHEBAT
- 12 ADAR

Seven of these Babylonian names  
are mentioned in Bible (all occur in late  
Books)

Josephus makes frequent use  
of them.

425 BC

Massacre of the Oligarchs  
in Corcyra.  
Surrender of Spartans  
in Sphacteria.

Persia: Death of Artaxerxes I;  
Xerxes II followed by Darius II